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SUBJECT: ISRAELI-SOUTH AFRICAN NUCLEAR COOPERATION

REF: TEL AVIV 6215

- 1. PRIME MINISTER BEGIN ASKED EVRON TO RELAY TO ME THIS MORNING, AUGUST 22, THE FOLLOWING RESPONSE TO OUR URGENT QUERY:
- 2. QUOTE: THE GOVERNMENT OF ISRAEL HAS NEVER HAD ANY CONTACTS WITH THE SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT, NOR HAS THERE EVER BEEN ANY COOPERATION WITH SOUTH AFRICA SECRET

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REGARDING THE DEVELOPMENT, AND/OR THE PRODUCTION, OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. END QUOTE.

3. DEPARTMENT PLEASE REPEAT THIS MESSAGE TO THE SECRETARY.
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